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Fill in this information to identify your case:		
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:		
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS		
Case number (if known)	Chapter you are filing under:	
	☐ Chapter 7	
	☐ Chapter 11	
	☐ Chapter 12	
	■ Chapter 13	☐ Check if this an amended filing

## Official Form 101

# **Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy**

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The bankruptcy forms use you and Debtor 1 to refer to a debtor filing alone. A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*—and in joint cases, these forms use you to ask for information from both debtors. For example, if a form asks, "Do you own a car," the answer would be yes if either debtor owns a car. When information is needed about the spouses separately, the form uses *Debtor 1* and *Debtor 2* to distinguish between them. In joint cases, one of the spouses must report information as *Debtor 1* and the other as *Debtor 2*. The same person must be *Debtor 1* in all of the forms.

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

Pai	rt 1: Identify Yourself		
		About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):
1.	Your full name		
	Write the name that is on your government-issued picture identification (for example, your driver's	Grena First name	Malaha First name
	license or passport).	Middle name	Middle name
	Bring your picture identification to your meeting with the trustee.	Bowers, Jr. Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)	Patrick-Bowers Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)
2.	All other names you have used in the last 8 years		
	Include your married or maiden names.		
3.	Only the last 4 digits of your Social Security number or federal Individual Taxpayer Identification number (ITIN)	xxx-xx-7385	xxx-xx-0849

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Debtor 1 Grena Bowers, Jr.
Debtor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers

Case number (if known)

		About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):
4.	Any business names and Employer Identification Numbers (EIN) you have used in the last 8 years Include trade names and doing business as names	■ I have not used any business name or EINs.  Business name(s)  EINs	■ I have not used any business name or EINs.  Business name(s)  EINs
5.	Where you live	1124 Grant Ave.	If Debtor 2 lives at a different address:
		Chicago Heights, IL 60411  Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code  Cook	Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code
		County	County
		If your mailing address is different from the one above, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to you at this mailing address.	If Debtor 2's mailing address is different from yours, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to this mailing address.
		Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State & ZIP Code
6.	Why you are choosing this district to file for bankruptcy	Check one:  Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.	Check one:  Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.
		☐ I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)	☐ I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)

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Debtor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers Case number (if known) Part 2: Tell the Court About Your Bankruptcy Case 7. The chapter of the Check one. (For a brief description of each, see Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy Bankruptcy Code you are (Form 2010)). Also, go to the top of page 1 and check the appropriate box. choosing to file under ☐ Chapter 7 ☐ Chapter 11 ☐ Chapter 12 Chapter 13 How you will pay the fee I will pay the entire fee when I file my petition. Please check with the clerk's office in your local court for more details about how you may pay. Typically, if you are paying the fee yourself, you may pay with cash, cashier's check, or money order. If your attorney is submitting your payment on your behalf, your attorney may pay with a credit card or check with a pre-printed address. I need to pay the fee in installments. If you choose this option, sign and attach the Application for Individuals to Pay The Filing Fee in Installments (Official Form 103A). I request that my fee be waived (You may request this option only if you are filing for Chapter 7. By law, a judge may, but is not required to, waive your fee, and may do so only if your income is less than 150% of the official poverty line that applies to your family size and you are unable to pay the fee in installments). If you choose this option, you must fill out the Application to Have the Chapter 7 Filing Fee Waived (Official Form 103B) and file it with your petition. 9. Have you filed for ☐ No. bankruptcy within the Yes. last 8 years? Northern District of When 5/25/12 12-21360 District Case number Illinois When District Case number Case number District When 10. Are any bankruptcy ■ No cases pending or being filed by a spouse who is ☐ Yes. not filing this case with you, or by a business partner, or by an affiliate? Debtor Relationship to you When District Case number, if known Debtor Relationship to you District When Case number, if known 11. Do you rent your Go to line 12. No. residence? Has your landlord obtained an eviction judgment against you and do you want to stay in your residence? ☐ Yes. No. Go to line 12. Yes. Fill out Initial Statement About an Eviction Judgment Against You (Form 101A) and file it with this bankruptcy petition.

Debtor 1

Grena Bowers, Jr.

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Par	Report About Any Bu	sinesses	You Own as a Sole Proprietor	
12.	Are you a sole proprietor of any full- or part-time business?	■ No.	Go to Part 4.	
		☐ Yes.	Name and location of business	
	A sole proprietorship is a business you operate as an individual, and is not a separate legal entity such as a corporation, partnership, or LLC.		Name of business, if any	
	If you have more than one sole proprietorship, use a separate sheet and attach		Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	
	it to this petition.		Check the appropriate box to describe your business:	
			☐ Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))	
			☐ Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))	
			☐ Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))	
			Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))	
			□ None of the above	
13.	Are you filing under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and are you a small business debtor?	deadline: operation	e filing under Chapter 11, the court must know whether you are a small business debtor so that it can set appr is. If you indicate that you are a small business debtor, you must attach your most recent balance sheet, state ins, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the pro S.C. 1116(1)(B).	ement of
	For a definition of small	■ No.	I am not filing under Chapter 11.	
	business debtor, see 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).	□ No.	I am filing under Chapter 11, but I am NOT a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bank Code.	kruptcy
		☐ Yes.	I am filing under Chapter 11 and I am a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankrupto	cy Code.
Par	t 4: Report if You Own or	Have Any	y Hazardous Property or Any Property That Needs Immediate Attention	
14.	Do you own or have any	■ No.		
	property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat	☐ Yes.		
	of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety?		What is the hazard?	
	Or do you own any property that needs immediate attention?		If immediate attention is needed, why is it needed?	
	For example, do you own perishable goods, or livestock that must be fed, or a building that needs urgent repairs?		Where is the property?	
			Number, Street, City, State & Zip Code	

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Part 5:

Explain Your Efforts to Receive a Briefing About Credit Counseling

#### 15. Tell the court whether you have received a briefing about credit counseling.

The law requires that you receive a briefing about credit counseling before you file for bankruptcy. You must truthfully check one of the following choices. If you cannot do so, you are not eligible to file.

If you file anyway, the court can dismiss your case, you will lose whatever filing fee you paid, and your creditors can begin collection activities again.

#### **About Debtor 1:**

You must check one:

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have a certificate of completion.

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and payment plan, if any.

I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.

To ask for a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement, attach a separate sheet explaining what efforts you made to obtain the briefing, why you were unable to obtain it before you filed for bankruptcy, and what exigent circumstances required you to file this case.

Your case may be dismissed if the court is dissatisfied with your reasons for not receiving a briefing before you filed for bankruptcy. If the court is satisfied with your reasons, you must still receive a briefing within 30 days after you file. You must file a certificate from the approved agency, along with a copy of the payment plan you developed, if any. If you do not do so, your case may be dismissed.

Any extension of the 30-day deadline is granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days.

I am not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling because of:

Incapacity. I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable of realizing or making rational decisions

about finances.

My physical disability causes Disability.

> me to be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after I reasonably tried to do so.

Active duty. I am currently on active

military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver of credit counseling with the court.

About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

You must check one:

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have a certificate of completion.

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and payment plan, if

I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.

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counseling because of:

Incapacity. I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable

of realizing or making rational decisions about finances.

My physical disability causes me to Disability.

be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after I reasonably tried

to do so.

Active duty. I am currently on active military duty

in a military combat zone.

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Debtor 1 Grena Bowers, Jr. Debtor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers Case number (if known) Part 6: **Answer These Questions for Reporting Purposes** 16. What kind of debts do 16a. Are your debts primarily consumer debts? Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an you have? individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose." ■ No. Go to line 16b. Yes. Go to line 17. 16b. Are your debts primarily business debts? Business debts are debts that you incurred to obtain money for a business or investment or through the operation of the business or investment. ■ No. Go to line 16c. Yes. Go to line 17. 16c. State the type of debts you owe that are not consumer debts or business debts 17. Are you filing under I am not filing under Chapter 7. Go to line 18. No. Chapter 7? Do you estimate that I am filing under Chapter 7. Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and administrative ☐ Yes. after any exempt expenses are paid that funds will be available to distribute to unsecured creditors? property is excluded and administrative expenses □ No are paid that funds will ☐ Yes be available for distribution to unsecured creditors? 18. How many Creditors do 1,000-5,000 **25**,001-50,000 1-49 you estimate that you **5001-10,000 5**0,001-100,000 **50-99** owe? **1**0,001-25,000 ☐ More than 100,000 **1**00-199 **200-999** 19. How much do you □ \$1,000,001 - \$10 million □ \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion **\$0 - \$50,000** estimate your assets to □ \$10.000.001 - \$50 million □ \$1.000.000.001 - \$10 billion □ \$50,001 - \$100,000 be worth? □ \$50,000,001 - \$100 million □ \$10.000.000.001 - \$50 billion **\$100,001 - \$500,000** □ \$100,000,001 - \$500 million ☐ More than \$50 billion □ \$500,001 - \$1 million 20. How much do you □ \$1,000,001 - \$10 million □ \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion **\$0 - \$50,000** estimate your liabilities □ \$10,000,001 - \$50 million □ \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion □ \$50,001 - \$100,000 to be? □ \$50,000,001 - \$100 million □ \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion □ \$100,001 - \$500,000 □ \$100,000,001 - \$500 million ☐ More than \$50 billion □ \$500,001 - \$1 million Part 7: Sign Below For you I have examined this petition, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided is true and correct. If I have chosen to file under Chapter 7, I am aware that I may proceed, if eligible, under Chapter 7, 11,12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code. I understand the relief available under each chapter, and I choose to proceed under Chapter 7. If no attorney represents me and I did not pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help me fill out this document, I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b). I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition. I understand making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571. /s/ Grena Bowers, Jr. /s/ Malaha Patrick-Bowers Grena Bowers, Jr. Malaha Patrick-Bowers Signature of Debtor 1 Signature of Debtor 2 Executed on January 8, 2016 Executed on January 8, 2016 MM / DD / YYYY MM / DD / YYYY

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For your attorney, if you are represented by one		ted States Code, and have e	informed the debtor(s) about eligibility to proceed explained the relief available under each chapter debtor(s) the notice required by 11 U.S.C. §	
If you are not represented by an attorney, you do not need to file this page.		applies, certify that I have n	o knowledge after an inquiry that the information	
	/s/ ###################################	Date	January 8, 2016	
	Signature of Attorney for Debtor		MM / DD / YYYY	
	######################################			-
	THE SEMRAD LAW FIRM, LLC Firm name			-
	20 S. Clark Street			
	28th Floor			
	Chicago, IL 60603  Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code			
	Contact phone (312) 913 0625	Email address	rsemrad@semradlaw.com	

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Fill in this infor	mation to identify your	case:			
Debtor 1	Grena Bowers, Jr.				
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2	Malaha Patrick-Bo	wers			
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United States Ba	ankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS		
Case number (if known)				Chaeluif thia ia	
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## Official Form 106Sum

## **Summary of Your Assets and Liabilities and Certain Statistical Information**

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Fill out all of your schedules first; then complete the information on this form. If you are filing amended schedules after you file your original forms, you must fill out a new *Summary* and check the box at the top of this page.

Par	t 1: Summarize Your Assets		
		Your as	ssets f what you own
1.	Schedule A/B: Property (Official Form 106A/B)  1a. Copy line 55, Total real estate, from Schedule A/B	\$	0.00
	1b. Copy line 62, Total personal property, from Schedule A/B	\$	6,775.00
	1c. Copy line 63, Total of all property on Schedule A/B	\$	6,775.00
Par	t 2: Summarize Your Liabilities		
			abilities t you owe
2.	Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property (Official Form 106D)  2a. Copy the total you listed in Column A, Amount of claim, at the bottom of the last page of Part 1 of Schedule D	\$	9,253.00
3.	Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims (Official Form 106E/F) 3a. Copy the total claims from Part 1 (priority unsecured claims) from line 6e of Schedule E/F	\$	600.00
	3b. Copy the total claims from Part 2 (nonpriority unsecured claims) from line 6j of <i>Schedule E/F</i>	\$	24,403.00
	Your total liabilities	\$	34,256.00
Par	t 3: Summarize Your Income and Expenses		
4.	Schedule I: Your Income (Official Form 106I) Copy your combined monthly income from line 12 of Schedule I	\$	4,043.83
5.	Schedule J: Your Expenses (Official Form 106J) Copy your monthly expenses from line 22c of Schedule J	\$	3,738.00
Par	t 4: Answer These Questions for Administrative and Statistical Records		
6.	Are you filing for bankruptcy under Chapters 7, 11, or 13?  ☐ No. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to the court with you	our other so	hedules.
7.	■ Yes What kind of debt do you have?		

- - Your debts are primarily consumer debts. Consumer debts are those "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose." 11 U.S.C. § 101(8). Fill out lines 8-9g for statistical purposes. 28 U.S.C. § 159.
  - Your debts are not primarily consumer debts. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to the court with your other schedules.

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From the Statement of Your Current Monthly Income: Copy your total current monthly income from Official Form 122A-1 Line 11; OR, Form 122B Line 11; OR, Form 122C-1 Line 14.

2,357.66

### Copy the following special categories of claims from Part 4, line 6 of Schedule E/F:

Malaha Patrick-Bowers

	Total c	laim
From Part 4 on Schedule E/F, copy the following:		
9a. Domestic support obligations (Copy line 6a.)	\$	0.00
9b. Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government. (Copy line 6b.)	\$	600.00
9c. Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated. (Copy line 6c.)	\$	0.00
9d. Student loans. (Copy line 6f.)	\$	4,079.00
9e. Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims. (Copy line 6g.)	\$	0.00
9f. Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts. (Copy line 6h.)	+\$	0.00
9g. <b>Total.</b> Add lines 9a through 9f.	\$	4,679.00

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Fill in this inf	ormation to identify your o	ase and this filing:			
Debtor 1	Grena Bowers, Jr.				
Dobtor 2	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)	Malaha Patrick-Bov	Middle Name	Last Name		
United States	Bankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILL	INOIS		
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t fits best. Be a nore space is n	s complete and accurate as po eeded, attach a separate sheet	tems. List an asset only once. If a ssible. If two married people are f to this form. On the top of any add	iling together, both are equa ditional pages, write your na	Illy responsible for supplyin	g correct information. If
Part 1: Descri	be Each Residence, Building, I	Land, or Other Real Estate You Ov	n or Have an Interest In		
. Do you own o	or have any legal or equitable in	nterest in any residence, building,	land, or similar property?		
No. Go to	Part 2.				
☐ Yes. Whe	re is the property?				
Part 2: Descri	be Your Vehicles				
□ No ■ Yes					
3.1 Make:	Chevrolet	Who has an interest in th	ne property? Check one		claims or exemptions. Put
Model:	Cobalt	Debtor 1 only	io property : eneak one		red claims on Schedule D: aims Secured by Property.
Year:	2008	Debtor 2 only		Current value of the	Current value of the
	mate mileage: 122,0	DCDIOI 1 dilid DCDIOI 2	,	entire property?	portion you own?
Other inf	formation:	At least one of the deb	tors and another		
		Check if this is comm (see instructions)	unity property	\$2,300.00	\$2,300.00
		Vs and other recreational veh			
■ No					
☐ Yes					
		ou own for all of your entries			\$2,300.00
.pages you	nave attached for Part 2.	Write that number here			,
	be Your Personal and Househ				
Do you own o	or have any legal or equita	ble interest in any of the follo	wing items?		Current value of the portion you own?
					Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions

6. **Household goods and furnishings** *Examples:* Major appliances, furniture, linens, china, kitchenware

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Part 4: Describe Your Financial Assets

Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any of the following?

Current value of the portion you own? Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.

16. Cash

Examples: Money you have in your wallet, in your home, in a safe deposit box, and on hand when you file your petition

☐ No

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26. Patents, copyrights, trademarks, trade secrets, and other intellectual property

Examples: Internet domain names, websites, proceeds from royalties and licensing agreements

■ No

No

☐ Yes. Give specific information about them...

☐ Yes. Give specific information about them...

Document Page 13 of 62 Debtor 1 Grena Bowers, Jr. Debtor 2 Case number (if known) Malaha Patrick-Bowers 27. Licenses, franchises, and other general intangibles Examples: Building permits, exclusive licenses, cooperative association holdings, liquor licenses, professional licenses No ☐ Yes. Give specific information about them... Current value of the Money or property owed to you? portion you own? Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. 28. Tax refunds owed to you ☐ No Yes. Give specific information about them, including whether you already filed the returns and the tax years...... Anticipated 2015 Tax Refund \$3.500.00 Federal 29. Family support Examples: Past due or lump sum alimony, spousal support, child support, maintenance, divorce settlement, property settlement ☐ Yes. Give specific information...... 30. Other amounts someone owes you Examples: Unpaid wages, disability insurance payments, disability benefits, sick pay, vacation pay, workers' compensation, Social Security benefits; unpaid loans you made to someone else ■ No ☐ Yes. Give specific information.. 31. Interests in insurance policies Examples: Health, disability, or life insurance; health savings account (HSA); credit, homeowner's, or renter's insurance ■ No ☐ Yes. Name the insurance company of each policy and list its value. Company name: Beneficiary: Surrender or refund value: 32. Any interest in property that is due you from someone who has died If you are the beneficiary of a living trust, expect proceeds from a life insurance policy, or are currently entitled to receive property because someone has died. ☐ Yes. Give specific information.. 33. Claims against third parties, whether or not you have filed a lawsuit or made a demand for payment Examples: Accidents, employment disputes, insurance claims, or rights to sue No ☐ Yes. Describe each claim....... 34. Other contingent and unliquidated claims of every nature, including counterclaims of the debtor and rights to set off claims ■ No ☐ Yes. Describe each claim....... 35. Any financial assets you did not already list ■ No ☐ Yes. Give specific information... 36. Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 4, including any entries for pages you have attached \$3,700.00 for Part 4. Write that number here..... Part 5: Describe Any Business-Related Property You Own or Have an Interest In. List any real estate in Part 1.

Schedule A/B: Property

No. Go to Part 6.

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37. Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any business-related property?

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Part	6: Describe Any Farm- and Commercial Fishing-Related Property You of If you own or have an interest in farmland, list it in Part 1.	Own or Have an Interest	ln.	
46. <b>I</b>	Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any farm-	or commercial fishing	ng-related property?	
	■ No. Go to Part 7.			
	☐ Yes. Go to line 47.			
Part	7: Describe All Property You Own or Have an Interest in That You	Did Not List Above		
<b>I</b>	Do you have other property of any kind you did not already list?  Examples: Season tickets, country club membership  No  Yes. Give specific information  Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 7. Write the			\$0.00
Part	8: List the Totals of Each Part of this Form			
55.	Part 1: Total real estate, line 2			\$0.00
56.	Part 2: Total vehicles, line 5	\$2,300.00	_	
57.	Part 3: Total personal and household items, line 15	\$775.00		
58.	Part 4: Total financial assets, line 36	\$3,700.00		
59.	Part 5: Total business-related property, line 45	\$0.00		
60.	Part 6: Total farm- and fishing-related property, line 52	\$0.00		
61.	Part 7: Total other property not listed, line 54 +	\$0.00		
62.	Total personal property. Add lines 56 through 61	\$6,775.00	Copy personal property total	\$6,775.00
63.	Total of all property on Schedule A/B. Add line 55 + line 62			\$6,775.00

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		I A A A H I II I		
Fill in this infor	mation to identify your	case:		
Debtor 1	Grena Bowers, Jr.			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
Debtor 2	Malaha Patrick-Bo	wers		
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
United States Ba	ankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS	
Case number				
(if known)				

# Official Form 106C

# Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Using the property you listed on *Schedule A/B: Property* (Official Form 106A/B) as your source, list the property that you claim as exempt. If more space is needed, fill out and attach to this page as many copies of *Part 2: Additional Page* as necessary. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

For each item of property you claim as exempt, you must specify the amount of the exemption you claim. One way of doing so is to state a specific dollar amount as exempt. Alternatively, you may claim the full fair market value of the property being exempted up to the amount of any applicable statutory limit. Some exemptions—such as those for health aids, rights to receive certain benefits, and tax-exempt retirement funds—may be unlimited in dollar amount. However, if you claim an exemption of 100% of fair market value under a law that limits the exemption to a particular dollar amount and the value of the property is determined to exceed that amount, your exemption would be limited to the applicable statutory amount.

#### Part 1: Identify the Property You Claim as Exempt

- 1. Which set of exemptions are you claiming? Check one only, even if your spouse is filing with you.
  - You are claiming state and federal nonbankruptcy exemptions. 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(3)
  - ☐ You are claiming federal exemptions. 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(2)
- 2. For any property you list on Schedule A/B that you claim as exempt, fill in the information below.

Brief description of the property and line on Schedule A/B that lists this property	Current value of the portion you own	Amount of the exemption you claim		Specific laws that allow exemption
	Copy the value from Schedule A/B	Check only one bo	ox for each exemption.	
Misc. Used Furniture and Household Goods	\$500.00	<b>.</b>	\$500.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)
Line from Schedule A/B: 6.1			ir market value, up to able statutory limit	
Misc. Used Clothing Line from Schedule A/B: 11.1	\$200.00	<b>=</b>	\$200.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(a)
Zilo ilom osilodale ivizi ilini			ir market value, up to able statutory limit	
Misc. Used Costume Jewelry Line from Schedule A/B: 12.1	\$75.00	<b>=</b>	\$75.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)
Elle lielli esiledale iv 2. 12.1			ir market value, up to able statutory limit	
Cash-on-hand Line from Schedule A/B: 16.1	\$100.00	<b>.</b>	\$100.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)
Ellie II olii ooriedale 742. To. T			ir market value, up to able statutory limit	
Bank Financial Line from Schedule A/B: 17.1	\$100.00		\$100.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)
Line nom <i>Schedule AVD</i> . 17.1			ir market value, up to able statutory limit	

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Grena Bowers, Jr. Debtor 1 Malaha Patrick-Bowers Case number (if known) Debtor 2 Current value of the Brief description of the property and line on Amount of the exemption you claim Specific laws that allow exemption Schedule A/B that lists this property portion you own Copy the value from Check only one box for each exemption. Schedule A/B Federal: Anticipated 2015 Tax Refund 735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b) \$3,500.00 \$3,500.00 Line from Schedule A/B: 28.1 100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit 3. Are you claiming a homestead exemption of more than \$155,675? (Subject to adjustment on 4/01/16 and every 3 years after that for cases filed on or after the date of adjustment.) Yes. Did you acquire the property covered by the exemption within 1,215 days before you filed this case? No Yes

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Fill in this inform	nation to identify you	ur case:				
Debtor 1	Grena Bowers, J		_ast Name			
Debtor 2 (Spouse if, filing)	Malaha Patrick-E		_ast Name			
United States Ban	kruptcy Court for the	: NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLIN	IOIS			
Case number						if this is an ded filing
Official Form	106D					
Schedule	D: Creditors	Who Have Claims S	ecured	by Propert	y	12/15
		f two married people are filing together, b , number the entries, and attach it to this				
1. Do any creditors h	nave claims secured by	your property?				
☐ No. Check	this box and submit t	his form to the court with your other se	chedules. Yo	u have nothing else	to report on this form.	
■ Yes. Fill in	all of the information	below.				
Part 1: List All	Secured Claims					
		nore than one secured claim, list the creditor		Column A	Column B	Column C
as possible, list the c	laims in alphabetical ord	particular claim, list the other creditors in Par ler according to the creditor's name.	t 2. As much	Amount of claim Do not deduct the value of collateral.	Value of collateral that supports this claim	Unsecured portion If any
2.1 Greater Su Acceptance		Describe the property that secures the	claim:	\$9,253.00	\$2,300.00	\$6,953.00
Creditor's Name	e Corp	2008 Chevrolet Cobalt 122,000		. ,		
Po Box 369	9	As of the date you file, the claim is: Che apply.	ck all that			
Downers G	rove, IL 60515	Contingent				
Number, Street,	City, State & Zip Code	☐ Unliquidated				
Who owes the del	at2 Chack and	☐ Disputed  Nature of lien. Check all that apply.				
Debtor 1 only	or check one.	☐ An agreement you made (such as mor	rtaane or secure	ed.		
■ Debtor 2 only		car loan)	rigage of securi	Su		
Debtor 1 and Deb	otor 2 only	☐ Statutory lien (such as tax lien, mecha	nic's lien)			
_	e debtors and another	☐ Judgment lien from a lawsuit	,			
☐ Check if this cla community deb		☐ Other (including a right to offset)				·
	Opened 7/31/14 Last					
Date debt was incu	Active rred 11/13/15	Last 4 digits of account number	6101			
	=	olumn A on this page. Write that number	here:	\$9,25	53.00	
If this is the last p Write that number		the dollar value totals from all pages.		\$9,25	53.00	
Part 2: List Oth	ers to Be Notified fo	or a Debt That You Already Listed				
to collect from you	for a debt you owe to s he debts that you listed bmit this page.	e notified about your bankruptcy for a dek omeone else, list the creditor in Part 1, a I in Part 1, list the additional creditors he	nd then list the	e collection agency he	re. Similarly, if you have	more than one
-NONE-		On	which line	in Part 1 did you	enter the creditor?	<b>?</b>
		Las	t 4 digits o	f account numbe	er	

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Fill	in this information	to identify your	case:								
De	btor 1 Gr	ena Bowers. Jr.									
		t Name	Middle	Name	Last Nam	ie					
De		alaha Patrick-Bo									
(Spo	ouse if, filing) Firs	t Name	Middle	Name	Last Nam	ie					
Un	ited States Bankrupt	cy Court for the:	NORTHER	RN DISTRICT OF	ILLINOIS						
C	aa numbar										
	se number nown)			_					1 Check if t	his is an	
									amended		
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	ficial Form 10										
Sc	hedule E/F: (	Creditors W	ho Have	<u>e Unsecure</u>	d Claim	S				12/15	
Scho D: C the ( num	executory contracts of edule G: Executory Contracts Who Have Classification Page to the fifth of the continuation Page to the continuation Page to the contract of the contrac	entracts and Unexpi aims Secured by Pro his page. If you hav	red Leases (C operty. If mor e no informat	official Form 106G). e space is needed, ion to report in a Pa	Do not included the Part	de any credi you need, f	tors with partially ill it out, number t	secured claim he entries in t	ns that are lis the boxes on	ted in Schedu the left. Attac	h
_		our PRIORITY Un									
1.		e priority unsecured	l claims agair	st you?							
	□ No. Go to Part 2.										
•	Yes.  List all of your priorit		16lial-			ad alakas Kati	4l	-l	-i <b>-</b>	alaina liaka d	
	identify what type of clapossible, list the claims 1. If more than one cre (For an explanation of	s in alphabetical orde ditor holds a particula	r according to ar claim, list the	the creditor's name. e other creditors in P	If you have m Part 3.	ore than two			he Continuatio		t
2.1	Internal Reve	nue Service	1	Last 4 digits of acco	ount number		\$600.0		\$600.00	\$0.	.00
	Priority Creditor's			-							
	P.O. Box 734	6 PA 19101-7346		When was the debt	incurred?	2014					
	Number Street Ci			As of the date you f	ile, the claim	is: Check all	I that apply				
	Who incurred the de	ebt? Check one.		☐ Contingent							
	Debtor 1 only			☐ Unliquidated							
	Debtor 2 only			Disputed							
	■ Debtor 1 and Deb	otor 2 only		Type of PRIORITY u	ınsecured cla	ıim:					
	☐ At least one of the	e debtors and anothe	r	☐ Domestic support	t obligations						
	☐ Check if this clai	m is for a commun		Taxes and certain		ou owe the	government				
	Is the claim subject			☐ Claims for death of		•	•				
	■ No			Other. Specify							
	Yes			• • •							
Dai	rt 2: List All of Yo	our NONPRIORIT	V Uneocuro	d Claims							
	Do any creditors have										—
J.		• •			th	ala a dul					
	☐ No. You have nothi	ing to report in this pa	III. Submit this	iorm to the court wit	ııı your other s	cnedules.					
	Yes.										
4.	List all of your nonpri claim, list the creditor s creditor holds a particular	separately for each cl	aim. For each	claim listed, identify	what type of c	laim it is. Do	not list claims alrea	dy included in	Part 1. If more	e than one	∍d

Total claim

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Debtor	2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers		Case number (if know)				
4.1	Aaron Sales & Lease Ow Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	0388	\$1,361.00			
	1015 Cobb Place Blvd Nw Kennesaw, GA 30144	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 4/01/14 Last Active 9/08/14	-			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply				
	■ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent					
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated					
		☐ Disputed					
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only ☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:				
	_	Student loans					
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not				
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts				
	Yes	Other. Specify Lease		_			
4.2	Ad Astra Recovery	Last 4 digits of account number	7477	\$537.00			
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 8918 W 21st St N Suite 200 Mailbox 303	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 7/01/15	_			
	Wichita, KS 67205						
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply				
	_	☐ Contingent					
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated					
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed					
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:				
	At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans	☐ Student loans				
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims					
	No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts				
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Collection A	attorney Speedy Cash 123	_			
4.3	Allied Interstate Llc	Last 4 digits of account number	4728	\$472.00			
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 7525 W Campus Rd	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 7/01/15	-			
	New Albany, OH 43054  Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply				
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent					
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated					
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed					
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:				
	At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans					
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not				
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts					
	Yes	Other. Specify Collection A	Attorney Dish Network L.L.C	_			

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	Grena Bowers, Jr.     Malaha Patrick-Bowers		Case number (if know)			
4.4	American Financial Cre	Last 4 digits of account number	7840	\$160.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 10333 N Meridian St Ste Indianapolis, IN 46290	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 5/01/15			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply			
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.  Debtor 1 only	Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Disputed				
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured  ☐ Student loans	d claim:			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt		aration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	tration agreement of divorce that you did not			
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts			
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Collection A	Attorney St Francis Medical Group	-		
4.5	Capital Accounts	Last 4 digits of account number	8040	\$95.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Po Box 140065	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 6/01/11	-		
	Nashville, TN 37214  Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply			
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	_				
	☐ Debtor 1 only	Contingent				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:			
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans				
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims				
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts			
	□Yes	·	Attorney Beverly Behavorial Health			
10	Oha Oallastian Dunasu		0700	Φ544.00		
4.6	Cba Collection Bureau  Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	3709	\$511.00		
	Po Box 5013 Hayward, CA 94540	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 4/01/13	-		
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	s: Check all that apply			
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent				
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated				
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed				
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:			
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	of the debtors and another    Student loans				
	Check if this claim is for a community debt		aration agreement or divorce that you did not			
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims  Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts			
	■ No □ Yes					
	LI Tes	Other. Specify Collection A	Attorney Ds Waters Of America Inc	-		

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	Malaha Patrick-Bowers	Case number (if know)			
4.7	Cci	Last 4 digits of account number 3544	\$564.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Contract Callers I Augusta, GA 30901	When was the debt incurred?			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply			
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent			
	■ Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated			
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed			
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:			
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	$\square$ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims			
	No	$\square$ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts			
	Yes	Other. Specify 10 Comed 26499			
4.8	Cci	Last 4 digits of account number 6931	\$801.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Contract Callers I	When was the debt incurred?			
	Augusta, GA 30901  Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply			
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent			
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated			
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed			
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:			
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims			
	■ No	$\square$ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts			
	Yes	Other. Specify 10 Comed 26499			
4.9	Cda/pontiac	Last 4 digits of account number 6092	\$601.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn:Bankruptcy Po Box 213	When was the debt incurred? Opened 7/01/13			
	Streator, IL 61364 Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply			
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent			
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated			
	☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed			
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:			
	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	$\square$ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims			
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts			
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Collection Attorney Foundation Emergency Services			

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4.10	Cds/Escallate LLC Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	5187	\$1,228.00
	Attn:Bankruptcy 5200 Stoneham Rd Ste 200 North Canton, OH 44720	When was the debt incurred?		_
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent		
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:	
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans		
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Med1 02 E	mp Of Cook County Llc	_
4.11	Cds/Escallate LLC	Last 4 digits of account number	7690	\$693.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn:Bankruptcy 5200 Stoneham Rd Ste 200 North Canton, OH 44720	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 3/01/15	_
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	П о-т-t		
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:	
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans	d diami.	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	_	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	ng plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	Other. Specify Collection A	Attorney Emp Of Cook County Llc	_
4.12	Cds/Escallate LLC	Last 4 digits of account number	9566	\$435.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Attn:Bankruptcy 5200 Stoneham Rd Ste 200	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 7/01/15	_
	North Canton, OH 44720  Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	Continuent		
	■ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:	
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans		
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims		
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts	
	☐Yes	■ Other. Specify Collection A	Attorney Emp Of Cook County Llc	
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4.13	City of Chicago Dep Revenue	Last 4 digits of account number	\$2,000.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Bankruptcy Unit 121 N LaSalle St Rm 107A Chicago, IL 60602	When was the debt incurred?	
-	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply	
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent	
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated	
	_	☐ Disputed	
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:	
	At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	$\square$ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims	
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	Other. Specify Unsecured parking-ticket debt	
4.14	City of Chicago Heights	Last 4 digits of account number	\$498.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 1601 Chicago Rd Water Billing dept	When was the debt incurred?	
	Chicago Heights, IL 60411  Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply	
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent	
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated	
	☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed	
	■ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:	
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims	
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts	
	Yes	■ Other. Specify _Unsecured debt for past-due water bills	
	Credit Management Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	\$640.00
	Attention: Bankruptcy Dept Po Box 118288	When was the debt incurred? Opened 3/01/10	
	Carrollton, TX 75011 Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply	
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent	
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated	
	Debtor 2 only		
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:	
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Student loans	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims	
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts	
	□ Yes	■ Other. Specify Collection Attorney Wow Chicago	
		Other. Specify     Other Specify	

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	Grena Bowers, Jr.  Malaha Patrick-Bowers		Case number (if know)	
	Diversified Consultant	Last 4 digits of account number	7409	\$740.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Dci Po Box 551268 Jacksonville, FL 32255	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 8/01/15	
Ī	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply	
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent☐ Unliquidated		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	l claim:	
1	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Student loans	· ordini	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	_	ration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts	
	□ Yes		attorney Comcast	
	ERC/Enhanced Recovery Corp	Last 4 digits of account number	5713	\$633.00
;	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 8014 Bayberry Rd Jacksonville, FL 32256	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 6/01/15	
ī	Number Street City State ZIp Code	As of the date you file, the claim i		
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	Debtor 2 only	Disputed		
ļ	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	l claim:	
l	At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans		
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt is the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin	g plans, and other similar debts	
1	Yes	■ Other. Specify Collection A	attorney At T	
	ERC/Enhanced Recovery Corp  Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	1763	\$568.00
;	8014 Bayberry Rd Jacksonville, FL 32256	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 12/01/13	
ī	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply	
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.  ☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
	<u></u>	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	I claim:	
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	<ul><li>☐ Student loans</li><li>☐ Obligations arising out of a sepa</li></ul>	ration agreement or divorce that you did not	
	s the claim subject to offset?  ■ No	report as priority claims  Debts to pension or profit-sharin		
	☐ Yes	Other. Specify Collection A	Morney imobile	

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	Malaha Patrick-Bowers		Case number (if know)				
4.19	ERC/Enhanced Recovery Corp	Last 4 digits of account number	3964	\$449.00			
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 8014 Bayberry Rd Jacksonville, FL 32256	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 9/01/15				
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	s: Check all that apply				
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent					
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated					
	☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed					
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:				
	At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans					
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not				
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts				
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Collection A	Attorney At T				
4.20	Fed Loan Servicing	Last 4 digits of account number	0002	\$2,228.00			
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Po Box 69184 Harrisburg, PA 17106	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 8/01/10 Last Active 7/01/15				
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply				
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent					
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated					
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed					
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:				
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	■ Student loans	Student loans				
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not				
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts				
	□Yes	Other. Specify					
		Educationa					
4.21	Fed Loan Servicing Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	0001	\$1,851.00			
	Po Box 69184	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 8/01/10 Last Active 7/01/15				
	Harrisburg, PA 17106  Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply				
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent					
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated					
	■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed					
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim:				
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Student loans					
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not				
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts				
	☐ Yes	Other. Specify					
		Educationa					

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Debtor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers	Case number (if know)	
4.22 Global Receivables Sol Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number 7133  When was the debt incurred? Opened 4/01/12	\$489.00
Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.  Debtor 1 only Debtor 2 only Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only At least one of the debtors and another Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?  No Yes	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply  Contingent Unliquidated Disputed Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim: Student loans Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts  Collection Attorney Windy City Emergency Physician	
Illinois Tollway   Nonpriority Creditor's Name   Attn: Legal Dept   2700 Ogden Ave   Downers Grove, IL 60515   Number Street City State Zlp Code   Who incurred the debt? Check one.   Debtor 1 only   Debtor 2 only   Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only   At least one of the debtors and another   Check if this claim is for a community debt   Is the claim subject to offset?   No   Yes	Last 4 digits of account number  When was the debt incurred?  As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply  □ Contingent □ Unliquidated □ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim: □ Student loans □ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims □ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts ■ Other. Specify Unsecured debt for tollway violations	\$428.00
MCSI -Municipal Collection Services, Inc  Nonpriority Creditor's Name 7330 College Dr Suite 108 Palo Heights, IL 60463  Number Street City State Zlp Code Who incurred the debt? Check one.  Debtor 1 only  Debtor 2 only Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only At least one of the debtors and another Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?  No Yes	Last 4 digits of account number 6254  When was the debt incurred?  As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply  Contingent Unliquidated Disputed Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim: Student loans Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts Other. Specify O1 Village Of Matteson	\$250.00

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	Grena Bowers, Jr.  Malaha Patrick-Bowers	Case number (if know)			
	Nicor Gas	Last 4 digits of account number	\$1,200.00		
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name 1844 Ferry Road Naperville, IL 60563	When was the debt incurred?			
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply		
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.  ☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent			
	☐ Debtor 2 only ☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Unliquidated			
		☐ Disputed  Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured	d claim.		
	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	ration agreement or divorce that you did not		
	■ No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts		
	Yes	Other. Specify Unsecured	debt for past-due energy bills		
	Online Collections	Last 4 digits of account number	0188	\$345.00	
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name Po Box 1489 Winterville, NC 28590	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 1/01/15		
	Number Street City State ZIp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.  Debtor 1 only Debtor 2 only	As of the date you file, the claim is: Check all that apply			
,		☐ Contingent			
		☐ Unliquidated			
		Disputed			
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured			
	At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt ls the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims			
	No	Debts to pension or profit-sharing	g plans, and other similar debts		
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Collection A	Attorney Aqua		
	Pinnacle Credit Services Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	3592	\$2,518.00	
	Po Box 640 Hopkins, MN 55343	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 4/01/14		
	Number Street City State Zlp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you file, the claim i	s: Check all that apply		
	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent			
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated			
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed			
	At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:			
	At least one or the debtors and another  Check if this claim is for a community debt	☐ Student loans			
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	☐ Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims			
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts			
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Factoring C	company Account Verizon Wireless		

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	1 Grena Bowers, Jr. 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers	3.3	Case number (if know)					
4.28	Pinnacle Credit Services	Last 4 digits of account number	1782	\$840.00				
4.20	Nonpriority Creditor's Name	_		Φ040.00				
	Po Box 640 Hopkins, MN 55343	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 8/01/14	-				
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply					
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent						
	■ Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated						
	☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed						
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:					
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans						
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	☐ Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not						
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	and the second state of th					
	■ No	☐ Debts to pension or profit-sharin	• •					
	Yes	Other. Specify Factoring C	Company Account Verizon Wireless	-				
4.29	State Collection Service	Last 4 digits of account number	3057	\$719.00				
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name	When we the debt incomed?						
	Po Box 6250 Madison, WI 53716	When was the debt incurred?		-				
	Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply					
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	☐ Contingent	Contingent					
	☐ Debtor 1 only	☐ Unliquidated	· ·					
	■ Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed						
	☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:					
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	☐ Student loans						
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt Is the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims						
	■ No	ng plans, and other similar debts						
	Yes	■ Other. Specify Guaranty B		-				
4.00	Challey Decovery less	l and d distinct of an army description	5000	ФГ 10 00				
4.30	Stellar Recovery Inc Nonpriority Creditor's Name	Last 4 digits of account number	5826	\$549.00				
	1327 Hwy 2 W	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 8/01/15	_				
	Suite 100							
	Kalispell, MT 59901  Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply					
	Who incurred the debt? Check one.	_						
	■ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent						
	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated						
	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	Disputed	d claim:					
	☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure  ☐ Student loans	u ciaiiii.					
	☐ Check if this claim is for a community debt	_	aration agreement or divorce that you did not					
	Is the claim subject to offset?	report as priority claims	,					
	No		ots to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts  er. Specify Collection Attorney Comcast					
	Yes	-						
Part 3	List Others to Be Notified About a Del	ot That You Already Listed						
5. Use the trying more	nis page only if you have others to be notified ab y to collect from you for a debt you owe to some than one creditor for any of the debts that you li ebts in Parts 1 or 2, do not fill out or submit this	out your bankruptcy, for a debt that yo one else, list the original creditor in Pa sted in Parts 1 or 2, list the additional	rts 1 or 2, then list the collection agency her	e. Similarly, if you have				
•	·	On which entry in Part 1 or Part 2 did you	list the original creditor?					
-NON		Line of (Check one):	Part 1: Creditors with Priority Unsecured Claims Part 2: Creditors with Nonpriority Unsecured Cla	ims				

Last 4 digits of account number

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Debtor 1 Grena Bowers, Jr.
Debtor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers

Case number (if know)

#### Part 4: Add the Amounts for Each Type of Unsecured Claim

6. Total the amounts of certain types of unsecured claims. This information is for statistical reporting purposes only. 28 U.S.C. §159. Add the amounts for each type of unsecured claim.

				Total clain	n
	6a.	Domestic support obligations	6a.	\$	0.00
Total claims					
from Part 1	6b.	Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government	6b.	\$	600.00
	6c.	Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated	6c.	\$	0.00
	6d.	Other. Add all other priority unsecured claims. Write that amount here.	6d.	\$	0.00
	6e.	Total. Add lines 6a through 6d.	6e.	\$	600.00
				<b>Total Claim</b>	
	6f.	Student loans	6f.	\$	4,079.00
Total claims					
from Part 2	6g.	Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims	6g.	\$	0.00
	6h.	Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts	6h.	\$	0.00
	6i.	Other. Add all other nonpriority unsecured claims. Write that amount here.	6i.	\$	20,324.00
	6j.	Total. Add lines 6f through 6i.	6j.	\$	24,403.00

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Fill in this infor	rmation to identify your	case:			
Debtor 1	Grena Bowers, Jr.				
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2	Debtor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers				
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:		NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS		
Case number _					

# Official Form 106G

# **Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases**

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, copy the additional page, fill it out, number the entries, and attach it to this page. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

- 1. Do you have any executory contracts or unexpired leases?
  - ☐ No. Check this box and file this form with the court with your other schedules. You have nothing else to report on this form.
  - Yes. Fill in all of the information below even if the contacts of leases are listed on Schedule A/B:Property (Official Form 106 A/B).
- List separately each person or company with whom you have the contract or lease. Then state what each contract or lease is for (for example, rent, vehicle lease, cell phone). See the instructions for this form in the instruction booklet for more examples of executory contracts and unexpired leases.

Person or company with whom you have the contract or lease Name, Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code	State what the contract or lease is for
<ul><li>2.1 Westwood Construction</li><li>5834 S May St.</li><li>Chicago, IL 60601</li></ul>	Residential lease

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Fill in this	information to identify you				
Debtor 1	Grena Bowers, J	r.			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2	Malaha Patrick-B				
(Spouse if, filin	ng) First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United Stat	tes Bankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS		
Case numb	per				
(if known)					☐ Check if this is an
					amended filing
Official	Form 106H				
Sched	ule H: Your Cod	debtors			12/15
■ No □ Yes  2. With Arizona ■ No.		ou lived in a community p a, Nevada, New Mexico, Pu	r <b>operty state or territo</b> lerto Rico, Texas, Wash	r <b>y?</b> (Community property state	es <i>and territori</i> es include
in line Form fill out	2 again as a codebtor only	rif that person is a guarar al Form 106E/F), or Sched	ntor or cosigner. Make	sure you have listed the cre 06G). Use Schedule D, Sche	to whom you owe the debt
				Onder all deridation that	appiy.
3.1	Nome			Schedule D, line	
ſ	Name			☐ Schedule E/F, line	
				☐ Schedule G, line	
	Number Street	Ctata	ZID Codo	_	
(	City	State	ZIP Code		
				<b>n</b>	
3.2	Name			Schedule D, line	
'	Hamo			☐ Schedule E/F, line	
_				☐ Schedule G, line	
	Number Street	State	ZIP Code		
,	City	Jiait	ZIF COUR		

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Fill in this informa	ation to identify your case:	
Debtor 1	Grena Bowers, Jr.	
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)	Malaha Patrick-Bowers	
United States Ba	inkruptcy Court for the: NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS	
Case number (If known)		Check if this is:  ☐ An amended filing ☐ A supplement showing postpetition chapter
Official Fo	orm 106 <u>l</u>	13 income as of the following date:  MM / DD/ YYYY

## Schedule I: Your Income

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together (Debtor 1 and Debtor 2), both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If you are married and not filing jointly, and your spouse is living with you, include information about your spouse. If you are separated and your spouse is not filing with you, do not include information about your spouse. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

Describe Employment			
Fill in your employment information.		Debtor 1	Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse
If you have more than one job,	Employment status	■ Employed	■ Employed
attach a separate page with information about additional	Employment status	☐ Not employed	☐ Not employed
employers.	Occupation	Customer Account Manager	Group Fitness Instructor
Include part-time, seasonal, or self-employed work.	Employer's name	Aaron's Sales and Leasing	Xsport Fitness
Occupation may include student or homemaker, if it applies.	Employer's address	9690 Roberts Rd. Hickory Hills, IL	4701 Lincoln Mall Dr. Matteson, IL 60443
	How long employed ti	here?	2 years

Part 2: Give Details About Monthly Income

Estimate monthly income as of the date you file this form. If you have nothing to report for any line, write \$0 in the space. Include your non-filing spouse unless you are separated.

If you or your non-filing spouse have more than one employer, combine the information for all employers for that person on the lines below. If you need more space, attach a separate sheet to this form.

List monthly gross wages, salary, and commissions (before all payroll deductions). If not paid monthly, calculate what the monthly wage would be.

- Estimate and list monthly overtime pay.
- 4. Calculate gross Income. Add line 2 + line 3.

				-filing spouse
2.	\$	2,311.83	\$	450.00
3.	+\$	0.00	+\$	0.00
4.	\$	2,311.83	\$	450.00

For Debtor 1 For Debtor 2 or

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Grena Bowers, Jr. Debtor 1 Debtor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers Case number (if known) For Debtor 2 or For Debtor 1 non-filing spouse Copy line 4 here 2,311.83 450.00 List all payroll deductions: Tax, Medicare, and Social Security deductions 5a. 5a. 486.68 71.32 Mandatory contributions for retirement plans 5b. 5b. 0.00 0.00 Voluntary contributions for retirement plans 5c. 5c. 0.00 0.00 Required repayments of retirement fund loans 5d. 5d. 0.00 \$ 0.00 Insurance 5e. 5e. 0.00 \$ 0.00 5f. **Domestic support obligations** 5f. 0.00 0.00 **Union dues** 5g. 5g. 0.00 \$ 0.00 5h.+ 5h. Other deductions. Specify: 0.00 \$ 0.00 Add the payroll deductions. Add lines 5a+5b+5c+5d+5e+5f+5q+5h. 6. 71.32 486.68 Calculate total monthly take-home pay. Subtract line 6 from line 4. 7. \$ 7. 1.825.15 378.68 List all other income regularly received: Net income from rental property and from operating a business, profession, or farm Attach a statement for each property and business showing gross receipts, ordinary and necessary business expenses, and the total monthly net income. 8a. 0.00 0.00 8b. Interest and dividends 8h. 0.00 0.00 Family support payments that you, a non-filing spouse, or a dependent 8c. regularly receive Include alimony, spousal support, child support, maintenance, divorce settlement, and property settlement. 8c. 0.00 1,704.00 8d. **Unemployment compensation** 8d. 0.00 0.00 **Social Security** 8e. 8e. 0.00 0.00 Other government assistance that you regularly receive Include cash assistance and the value (if known) of any non-cash assistance that you receive, such as food stamps (benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) or housing subsidies. 8f. Specify: LINK 0.00 136.00 8g. Pension or retirement income 8g. 0.00 0.00 Other monthly income. Specify: 8h.+ \$ 0.00 \$ 0.00 Add all other income. Add lines 8a+8b+8c+8d+8e+8f+8g+8h. 9. 0.00 1,840.00 10. Calculate monthly income. Add line 7 + line 9. 10. 1,825.15 \$ 2,218.68 4,043.83 Add the entries in line 10 for Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse. State all other regular contributions to the expenses that you list in Schedule J. Include contributions from an unmarried partner, members of your household, your dependents, your roommates, and other friends or relatives. Do not include any amounts already included in lines 2-10 or amounts that are not available to pay expenses listed in Schedule J. Specify: 11. 0.00 12. Add the amount in the last column of line 10 to the amount in line 11. The result is the combined monthly income. Write that amount on the Summary of Schedules and Statistical Summary of Certain Liabilities and Related Data, if it 12. 4,043.83 Combined monthly income 13. Do you expect an increase or decrease within the year after you file this form? Yes. Explain:

Fill	in this informa	ation to identify yo	our case:							
Deb	otor 1	Grena Bower	s, Jr.			Check if this is:				
Dob	otor 2	Malala Datai	.l. D	_				n amended filing		
	ouse, if filing)	Malaha Patrio	k-Bower:	S					wing postpetition chapt the following date:	lei
	, 0,	ruptcy Court for the:	NORTH	HERN DISTRICT OF ILLIN	IOIS			M / DD / YYYY		
Unii	ied States Banki	rupicy Court for the.	NORTE	TERN DISTRICT OF ILLIN	1013		IVI	WI/DD/TTTT		
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0	fficial Fo	orm 106J								
S	chedule	J: Your I	Exper	ises					1	2/15
Be info nur	as complete ormation. If n mber (if know	and accurate as nore space is ne vn). Answer ever	possible eded, atta y questio	. If two married people a ach another sheet to this						
Par 1.	t 1: Desc Is this a joi	ribe Your House	hold							
١.	□ No. Go to									
		es Debtor 2 live i	in a sonar	rate household?						
			п а зора	ate nousenoia:						
	■ N		st file Offic	ial Form 106J-2, <i>Expense</i>	s for Separate House	hold of E	Debto	or 2.		
2.	Do you hay	e dependents?	□ No							
	Do not list D	Debtor 1	Yes.	Fill out this information for each dependent	Dependent's relation Debtor 1 or Debtor 2			Dependent's age	Does dependent live with you?	
	Do not state	tho							□ No	
	dependents				Daughter			16	■ Yes	
									□ No	
					Son			18	Yes	
								·	□ No	
									☐ Yes	
									□ No	
3.	Do your exi	penses include	_						☐ Yes	
	expenses of yourself an	of people other the digital of the d	han nts? □	No Yes						
Est exp	imate your e	a date after the l	our bankr	uptcy filing date unless yes is filed. If this is a sup						
the		h assistance an		government assistance cluded it on <i>Schedule I:</i>				Your expe	enses	
4.		or home owners		nses for your residence. or lot.	Include first mortgage	4.	\$		900.00	
	If not include	ded in line 4:								
	4a. Real	estate taxes				4a.	\$		0.00	
		erty, homeowner's	s, or renter	r's insurance		4b.			0.00	
	4c. Home	e maintenance, re	pair, and	upkeep expenses		4c.	\$		0.00	
_		eowner's associat				4d.			0.00	
5.	Additional i	mortgage payme	ents for yo	<b>our residence</b> , such as ho	ome equity loans	5.	\$		0.00	

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Debtor 1		owers, Jr.			
ebtor 2	<sup>2</sup> Malaha F	Patrick-Bowers	Case number	er (if known)	
Uti 6a.	ilities:	, heat, natural gas	6a. S	\$	504.00
6b.		wer, garbage collection		\$ 	200.00
6c.		e, cell phone, Internet, satellite, and cable services		\$ 	150.00
6d.		ecify: Cable, Internet, & Landline		\$ 	100.00
		ekeeping supplies		\$ 	820.00
		children's education costs		φ \$	150.00
		lry, and dry cleaning		φ \$	175.00
	•			\$ 	
		products and services ntal expenses		\$ 	150.00
			11. 3	<b></b>	75.00
	not include c	Include gas, maintenance, bus or train fare.	12. \$	\$	300.00
		clubs, recreation, newspapers, magazines, and boo		\$	0.00
		ributions and religious donations		\$	60.00
	surance.	and rengious donations	17. (	Ψ	00.00
		nsurance deducted from your pay or included in lines 4 c	r 20.		
	a. Life insura		15a. S	\$	0.00
	b. Health ins			\$	0.00
150	c. Vehicle in	surance		\$	104.00
		rance. Specify:		\$	0.00
		iclude taxes deducted from your pay or included in lines		· -	
	ecify:	ionado tantos acuacioa ironi your pay or incluado iri inico	16. 3	\$	0.00
7. Ins	stallment or I	ease payments:		· -	
		ents for Vehicle 1	17a. S	\$	0.00
17	b. Car paym	ents for Vehicle 2	17b. S	\$	0.00
170	c. Other. Sp	ecify:	17c. S	\$	0.00
170	d. Other. Sp		17d. S	\$	0.00
		of alimony, maintenance, and support that you did i	not report as	· -	
de	ducted from	your pay on line 5, Schedule I, Your Income (Official	Form 106I). 18. 3	\$	0.00
9. <b>Otl</b>	her payments	s you make to support others who do not live with y	ou.	\$	0.00
	ecify:		19.		
		erty expenses not included in lines 4 or 5 of this for			
		s on other property	20a. S	·	0.00
	<ul><li>b. Real estat</li></ul>		20b. S	·	0.00
		homeowner's, or renter's insurance	20c. S	·	0.00
		nce, repair, and upkeep expenses		\$	0.00
20	e. Homeown	er's association or condominium dues	20e. S	\$	0.00
1. <b>Otl</b>	her: Specify:	Wife's repayment of student loans	21	+\$	50.00
, <b>C</b> ~	lculate vous	monthly expenses			
	a. Add lines 4	• •		\$	2 729 00
		<u> </u>	form 106 L2	\$ 	3,738.00
		2 (monthly expenses for Debtor 2), if any, from Official F	UIIII 100J-Z	φ	
220	c. Add line 22	a and 22b. The result is your monthly expenses.		<b>*</b>	3,738.00
3. <b>C</b> a	Iculate vour	monthly net income.	L		
	-	12 (your combined monthly income) from Schedule I.	23a. S	\$	4,043.83
		monthly expenses from line 22c above.	23b	·	3,738.00
_5.	, , , ,	, - 1		· <del></del>	3,. 33.33
230	c. Subtract y	our monthly expenses from your monthly income.		•	00= 00
		is your monthly net income.	23c.	\$	305.83
			_		
4. <b>Do</b>	you expect	an increase or decrease in your expenses within the	year after you file this	form?	da (
		ou expect to finish paying for your car loan within the year or do you terms of your mortgage?	u expect your mortgage payi	ment to increase or o	secrease because of a
		terms or your moregage:			
	No.	[e			
	Yes.	Explain here:			

					_
Fill in this infor	mation to identify you	r case:			
Debtor 1	Grena Bowers, J				
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2	Malaha Patrick-B	owers			
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United States Ba	nkruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRI	CT OF ILLINOIS		
Case number _					☐ Check if this is an
					amended filing
Official Form Declarat		an Individua	al Debtor's	Schedules	12/15
If two married ne	onle are filing togeth	er, both are equally res	enonsible for supplyin	a correct information	
ii tiio iiiaiiioa pe	opio alo illing logoal	or, both are equally rec	ponoible for eupplyin	ig con cot information	
obtaining money		in connection with a b			atement, concealing property, or 000, or imprisonment for up to 20
Sign	n Below				
Did you pa	y or agree to pay som	eone who is NOT an at	torney to help you fill	out bankruptcy forms?	
■ No					
☐ Yes. N	lame of person			Attach <i>Bankruptcy Pet</i> _ and Signature (Official F	ition Preparer's Notice, Declaration, Form 119).
	lty of perjury, I declar e true and correct.	e that I have read the s	ummary and schedule	es filed with this declara	tion and
X /s/ Grei	na Bowers, Jr.		X /s/ Mal	laha Patrick-Bowers	
	Bowers, Jr.			a Patrick-Bowers	
Signatui	e of Debtor 1		Signatu	ure of Debtor 2	

Date January 8, 2016

Date January 8, 2016

Fill	l in this inforr	nation to identify you	ır case:			
De	btor 1	Grena Bowers, J	r. Middle Name	Last Name		
De	btor 2	Malaha Patrick-E		Lastivame		
1	ouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Un	ited States Ba	nkruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT C	F ILLINOIS		
Ca	se number					
	nown)					Check if this is an amended filing
	fficial Fo		Affairs for Individ	uals Filing for I	<b>Bankruptcy</b>	12/1:
info	rmation. If m		, attach a separate sheet to		re equally responsible for si any additional pages, write y	
Pa	rt 1: Give D	Details About Your M	arital Status and Where You	Lived Before		
1.	What is you	r current marital stat	us?			
	■ Married					
	□ Not mar	rried				
2.	During the la	ast 3 years, have you	lived anywhere other than v	where you live now?		
	□ No					
	_	at all of the places you	lived in the last 3 years. Do no	ot include where you live n	OW.	
	Debtor 1 Pr	ior Address:	Dates Debtor 1 lived there	Debtor 2 Prior	Address:	Dates Debtor 2 lived there
	161 Centra Matteson,		From-To: November 201 November 201		r 1	Same as Debtor 1 From-To:
	No Yes. Ma	ies include Arizona, Ca	alifornia, Idaho, Louisiana, Neo	vada, New Mexico, Puerto	unity property state or territo Rico, Texas, Washington and	
Pa	rt 2 Explai	n the Sources of You	ır Income			
4.	Fill in the tota	al amount of income yo	mployment or from operating ou received from all jobs and a have income that you received	all businesses, including pa		lendar years?
	□ No					
	Yes. Fill	I in the details.				
			Debtor 1		Debtor 2	
			Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)	Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)
	r last calenda inuary 1 to De	r year: ecember 31, 2015 )	☐ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$4,000.00	■ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$3,700.00
			☐ Operating a business		☐ Operating a business	

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Debtor		ena Bowe alaha Patri		Case number (if known)					
				Debtor 1		Debtor 2			
				Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)	Sources of income Check all that apply.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)		
		dar year be December		☐ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$26,000.00	■ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$4,200.00		
				☐ Operating a business		☐ Operating a business			
		dar year: December	31, 2013 )	☐ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$21,000.00	■ Wages, commissions, bonuses, tips	\$4,200.00		
				☐ Operating a business		☐ Operating a business			
_	st each	•	the gross inco	ou are filing a joint case and you					
				Debtor 1		Debtor 2			
				Sources of income Describe below	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)	Sources of income Describe below.	Gross income (before deductions and exclusions)		
		dar year: December	31, 2015 )	Food Assistance (LINK)	\$544.00				
				Unemployment compensation	\$11,200.00				
Part 3	Lis	t Certain Pa	yments You	Made Before You Filed for	Bankruptcy				
6. Ar □		Neither D	ebtor 1 nor D	's debts primarily consumer Debtor 2 has primarily consu personal, family, or househo	umer debts. Consumer debt	s are defined in 11 U.S.C. §	101(8) as "incurred by an		
		During the	90 days befo	ore you filed for bankruptcy, di	d you pay any creditor a tota	I of \$6,225* or more?			
		□ No.	Go to line 7						
		☐ Yes	List bolow o	each creditor to whom you hai		n one or more payments an	al 4la a 4 a 4 a 1 a ma a a 4 a		
			paid that cr not include	editor. Do not include paymer payments to an attorney for the ton 4/01/16 and every 3 year	his bankruptcy case.	ations, such as child suppo	rt and alimony. Also, do		
•	l Yes.	* Subject	paid that cr not include to adjustmen or Debtor 2 o	editor. Do not include paymer payments to an attorney for the	nts for domestic support oblighis bankruptcy case. safter that for cases filed on umer debts.	pations, such as child suppo or after the date of adjustm	rt and alimony. Also, do		
•	l Yes.	* Subject	paid that cr not include to adjustmen or Debtor 2 o	editor. Do not include paymer payments to an attorney for the ton 4/01/16 and every 3 year both have primarily consume you filed for bankruptcy, di	nts for domestic support oblighis bankruptcy case. It after that for cases filed on timer debts.	pations, such as child suppo or after the date of adjustm	rt and alimony. Also, do		
•	l Yes.	* Subject  Debtor 1 of During the	paid that cr not include to adjustmen or <b>Debtor 2 o</b> 90 days befor Go to line 7 List below e include pay	editor. Do not include paymer payments to an attorney for the ton 4/01/16 and every 3 year both have primarily consume you filed for bankruptcy, di	nts for domestic support oblights bankruptcy case. is after that for cases filed on timer debts. It does not pay any creditor a total did a total of \$600 or more and	pations, such as child support or after the date of adjustmost of \$600 or more?	rt and alimony. Also, do ent.		

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Deb	btor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers		Cas	se number (if known)				
7.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrup Insiders include your relatives; any general p corporations of which you are an officer, dire including one for a business you operate as support and alimony.	eartners; relatives of any generator, person in control, or or	neral partners; partners wner of 20% or more	erships of which your of their voting sec	ou are a gener curities; and ar	al partner; ny managing agent,		
	<ul><li>■ No</li><li>□ Yes. List all payments to an insider</li></ul>							
	Insider's Name and Address	Dates of payment	Total amount paid	Amount you still owe	Reason for	this payment		
В.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrup insider? Include payments on debts guaranteed or co			any property on a	ccount of a d	ebt that benefited an		
	<ul><li>■ No</li><li>□ Yes. List all payments to an insider</li></ul>							
	Insider's Name and Address	Dates of payment	Total amount paid	Amount you still owe	Reason for Include cred	this payment itor's name		
Par	rt 4: Identify Legal Actions, Repossession	ons, and Foreclosures	<b>P</b>					
9.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrup List all such matters, including personal injur modifications, and contract disputes.  No							
	Yes. Fill in the details.  Case title	Nature of the case	Nature of the case			Status of the case		
	Case number	Nature of the sase	oourt of agency		Oldido of the			
10.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrup Check all that apply and fill in the details belo		erty repossessed, f	oreclosed, garnis	shed, attached	d, seized, or levied?		
	<ul><li>■ No</li><li>□ Yes. Fill in the information below.</li></ul>							
	Creditor Name and Address	Describe the Property		Date		Value of the property		
11	Within 90 days before you filed for bankru	Explain what happene		nancial institutio	n set off any	amounts from your		
	accounts or refuse to make a payment be		during a bank of in	nanciai mstitutio	ii, set oii aiiy	amounts nom your		
	Yes. Fill in the details.  Creditor Name and Address	Describe the action the	e creditor took	Date	action was	Amount		
12.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrup court-appointed receiver, a custodian, or		erty in the possess	taker		efit of creditors, a		
	■ No □ Yes							
Par	rt 5: List Certain Gifts and Contributions	i						
13.	Within 2 years before you filed for bankru  No	ptcy, did you give any gift	ts with a total value	of more than \$60	00 per person	?		
	Yes. Fill in the details for each gift.  Gifts with a total value of more than \$600 per person	Describe the gifts		Dates the g	s you gave	Value		
	Person to Whom You Gave the Gift and Address:			tile g	into			

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Der	oloi 2 <u>Iwaiana Patrick-Bowers</u>			Jase Humber (				
14.	Within 2 years before you filed for bankrup  ■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details for each gift or con			ns with a tota	I value of more than	s \$600 to any charity		
	Gifts or contributions to charities that to more than \$600 Charity's Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)		Describe what you contributed		Dates you contributed	Value		
Par	t 6: List Certain Losses							
	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrupt disaster, or gambling?	tcy or	since you filed for bankruptcy, did	you lose anyt	hing because of the	ft, fire, other		
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.							
	how the loss occurred	nclude	the any insurance coverage for the least the amount that insurance has paid. It g insurance claims on line 33 of Scheotty.	List	Date of your loss	Value of property lost		
Par	t 7: List Certain Payments or Transfers							
16.	<ul> <li>Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did you or anyone else acting on your behalf pay or transfer any property consulted about seeking bankruptcy or preparing a bankruptcy petition?</li> <li>Include any attorneys, bankruptcy petition preparers, or credit counseling agencies for services required in your bankruptcy.</li> <li>No</li> <li>Yes. Fill in the details.</li> </ul>							
	Person Who Was Paid Address Email or website address Person Who Made the Payment, if Not Yo	u	Description and value of any property transferred		Date payment or transfer was made	Amount of payment		
	The Semrad Law Firm 11101 S Western Chicago, IL 60643		Attorney's fees in current suit		\$350.00			
17.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did you or anyone else acting on your behalf pay or transfer any property to anyone who promised to help you deal with your creditors or to make payments to your creditors?  Do not include any payment or transfer that you listed on line 16.							
	☐ Yes. Fill in the details.							
	Person Who Was Paid Address		Description and value of any property transferred		Date payment or transfer was made	Amount of payment		
18.	Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you sell, trade, or otherwise transfer any property to anyone, other than property transferred in the ordinary course of your business or financial affairs?  Include both outright transfers and transfers made as security (such as the granting of a security interest or mortgage on your property). Do not include gifts and transfers that you have already listed on this statement.  No  Yes. Fill in the details.							
	Person Who Received Transfer Address Person's relationship to you		Description and value of property transferred		ny property or received or debts change	Date transfer was made		
	. 5.50m 5 relationship to you							

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19.	Within 10 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you transfer any property to a self-settled trust or similar device of which you are a beneficiary? (These are often called asset-protection devices.)  No								
	Yes. Fill in the details.  Name of trust	Description and v	alue of the property tran	sferred	Date Transfer was				
Par	t 8: List of Certain Financial Accounts, Ins	struments. Safe Deposit	t Boxes, and Storage Un	its	made				
		•							
20.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy sold, moved, or transferred? Include checking, savings, money market, o houses, pension funds, cooperatives, assoc	or other financial accou	nts; certificates of depos						
	■ No								
	Yes. Fill in the details.								
	Name of Financial Institution and Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Last 4 digits of account number	Type of account or instrument	Date account was closed, sold, moved, or transferred	Last balance before closing or transfer				
21.	Do you now have, or did you have within 1 y cash, or other valuables?	ear before you filed for	bankruptcy, any safe de	posit box or other deposi	tory for securities,				
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.								
	Name of Financial Institution Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Who else had acc Address (Number, St State and ZIP Code)		the contents	Do you still have it?				
22.	Have you stored property in a storage unit o	or place other than your	home within 1 year befo	ore you filed for bankruptc	у				
	No								
	Yes. Fill in the details.								
	Name of Storage Facility Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Who else has or had access to it?  Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)		the contents	Do you still have it?				
Par	t 9: Identify Property You Hold or Control	for Someone Else							
23.	Do you hold or control any property that sor for someone.		ude any property you bo	rowed from, are storing for	or, or hold in trust				
	_								
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.								
	Owner's Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Where is the prop (Number, Street, City, S Code)		the property	Value				
Par	t 10: Give Details About Environmental Info	ormation							
or	the purpose of Part 10, the following definition	ons apply:							
	Environmental law means any federal, state, toxic substances, wastes, or material into the regulations controlling the cleanup of these	ne air, land, soil, surfac	e water, groundwater, or						
	Site means any location, facility, or property to own, operate, or utilize it, including dispo	as defined under any e		her you now own, operate	, or utilize it or used				
	Hazardous material means anything an environmental law defines as a hazardous waste, hazardous substance, toxic substance, hazardous material, pollutant, contaminant, or similar term.								

Report all notices, releases, and proceedings that you know about, regardless of when they occurred.

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24.	Has	s any governmental unit notified you that	you may be liable or potentially liable	e ur	nder or in violation of an environme	ental law?				
		Yes. Fill in the details.								
		me of site dress (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Governmental unit Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	d	Environmental law, if you know it	Date of notice				
25.	Hav	ve you notified any governmental unit of	any release of hazardous material?							
		No Yes. Fill in the details.								
		me of site dress (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Governmental unit Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	d	Environmental law, if you know it	Date of notice				
26.	Hav	ve you been a party in any judicial or adn	ninistrative proceeding under any env	iroı	nmental law? Include settlements a	nd orders.				
		No Yes. Fill in the details.								
		se Title se Number	Court or agency Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Na	ature of the case	Status of the case				
Par	t 11	Give Details About Your Business or	Connections to Any Business							
27.	Wit	hin 4 years before you filed for bankrupt	cy, did you own a business or have ar	ny c	of the following connections to any	business?				
		☐ A sole proprietor or self-employed in a trade, profession, or other activity, either full-time or part-time								
		☐ A member of a limited liability company (LLC) or limited liability partnership (LLP)								
		☐ A partner in a partnership								
		☐ An officer, director, or managing ex	ector, or managing executive of a corporation							
		☐ An owner of at least 5% of the voting	g or equity securities of a corporation							
		No. None of the above applies. Go to F	Part 12.							
		Yes. Check all that apply above and fill	in the details below for each business	s.						
		siness Name dress	Describe the nature of the business		Employer Identification number	umbar ar ITIN				
		mber, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Name of accountant or bookkeeper	Do not include Social Security  Dates business existed		umber of frie.				
28.		hin 2 years before you filed for bankrupt titutions, creditors, or other parties.	cy, did you give a financial statement	to a	anyone about your business? Inclu	de all financial				
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details below.									
	Ad	Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)								

Case 16-00628 Doc 1 Filed 01/08/16 Entered 01/08/16 18:25:58 Desc Main Document Page 43 of 62 Grena Bowers, Jr. Debtor 1 Debtor 2 Malaha Patrick-Bowers Case number (if known) Part 12: Sign Below I have read the answers on this Statement of Financial Affairs and any attachments, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the answers are true and correct. I understand that making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571. /s/ Grena Bowers, Jr. /s/ Malaha Patrick-Bowers Grena Bowers, Jr. Malaha Patrick-Bowers Signature of Debtor 1 Signature of Debtor 2 Date January 8, 2016 Date January 8, 2016 Did you attach additional pages to Your Statement of Financial Affairs for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Official Form 107)? ■ No ☐ Yes

Did you pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help you fill out bankruptcy forms?

☐ Yes. Name of Person . Attach the Bankruptcy Petition Preparer's Notice, Declaration, and Signature (Official Form 119).

Official Form 107

■ No

# Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)

### This notice is for you if:

You are an individual filing for bankruptcy, and

Your debts are primarily consumer debts. Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."

### The types of bankruptcy that are available to individuals

Individuals who meet the qualifications may file under one of four different chapters of Bankruptcy Code:

Chapter 7 - Liquidation

Chapter 11 - Reorganization

Chapter 12 - Voluntary repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

Chapter 13 - Voluntary repayment plan for individuals with regular income

You should have an attorney review your decision to file for bankruptcy and the choice of chapter.

Chapter 7:	Liquidation
\$245	filing fee
\$75	administrative fee
+ \$15	trustee surcharge
\$335	total fee

Chapter 7 is for individuals who have financial difficulty preventing them from paying their debts and who are willing to allow their nonexempt property to be used to pay their creditors. The primary purpose of filing under chapter 7 is to have your debts discharged. The bankruptcy discharge relieves you after bankruptcy from having to pay many of your pre-bankruptcy debts. Exceptions exist for particular debts, and liens on property may still be enforced after discharge. For example, a creditor may have the right to foreclose a home mortgage or repossess an automobile.

However, if the court finds that you have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, the court may deny your discharge.

You should know that even if you file chapter 7 and you receive a discharge, some debts are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible to pay:

most taxes:

most student loans;

domestic support and property settlement obligations;

most fines, penalties, forfeitures, and criminal restitution obligations; and

certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers.

You may also be required to pay debts arising from:

fraud or theft:

fraud or defalcation while acting in breach of fiduciary capacity;

intentional injuries that you inflicted; and

death or personal injury caused by operating a motor vehicle, vessel, or aircraft while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs.

If your debts are primarily consumer debts, the court can dismiss your chapter 7 case if it finds that you have enough income to repay creditors a certain amount. You must file *Chapter 7 Statement of Your Current Monthly Income* (Official Form 122A–1) if you are an individual filing for bankruptcy under chapter 7. This form will determine your current monthly income and compare whether your income is more than the median income that applies in your state.

If your income is not above the median for your state, you will not have to complete the other chapter 7 form, the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A–2).

If your income is above the median for your state, you must file a second form —the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A–2). The calculations on the form— sometimes called the *Means Test*—deduct from your income living expenses and payments on certain debts to determine any amount available to pay unsecured creditors. If

your income is more than the median income for your state of residence and family size, depending on the results of the *Means Test*, the U.S. trustee, bankruptcy administrator, or creditors can file a motion to dismiss your case under § 707(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. If a motion is filed, the court will decide if your case should be dismissed. To avoid dismissal, you may choose to proceed under another chapter of the Bankruptcy Code.

If you are an individual filing for chapter 7 bankruptcy, the trustee may sell your property to pay your debts, subject to your right to exempt the property or a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the property. The property, and the proceeds from property that your bankruptcy trustee sells or liquidates that you are entitled to, is called *exempt property*. Exemptions may enable you to keep your home, a car, clothing, and household items or to receive some of the proceeds if the property is sold.

Exemptions are not automatic. To exempt property, you must list it on *Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt* (Official Form 106C). If you do not list the property, the trustee may sell it and pay all of the proceeds to your creditors.

### **Chapter 11: Reorganization**

\$1,167 filing fee

+ \$550 administrative fee \$1,717 total fee

Chapter 11 is often used for reorganizing a business, but is also available to individuals. The provisions of chapter 11 are too complicated to summarize briefly.

### **Read These Important Warnings**

Because bankruptcy can have serious long-term financial and legal consequences, including loss of your property, you should hire an attorney and carefully consider all of your options before you file. Only an attorney can give you legal advice about what can happen as a result of filing for bankruptcy and what your options are. If you do file for bankruptcy, an attorney can help you fill out the forms properly and protect you, your family, your home, and your possessions.

Although the law allows you to represent yourself in bankruptcy court, you should understand that many people find it difficult to represent themselves successfully. The rules are technical, and a mistake or inaction may harm you. If you file without an attorney, you are still responsible for knowing and following all of the legal requirements.

You should not file for bankruptcy if you are not eligible to file or if you do not intend to file the necessary documents.

Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime; you could be fined and imprisoned if you commit fraud in your bankruptcy case. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

### Chapter 12: Repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

	\$200	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$275	total fee

Similar to chapter 13, chapter 12 permits family farmers and fishermen to repay their debts over a period of time using future earnings and to discharge some debts that are not paid.

# Chapter 13: Repayment plan for individuals with regular income

	\$235	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$310	total fee

Chapter 13 is for individuals who have regular income and would like to pay all or part of their debts in installments over a period of time and to discharge some debts that are not paid. You are eligible for chapter 13 only if your debts are not more than certain dollar amounts set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 109.

Under chapter 13, you must file with the court a plan to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, usually using your future earnings. If the court approves your plan, the court will allow you to repay your debts, as adjusted by the plan, within 3 years or 5 years, depending on your income and other factors.

After you make all the payments under your plan, many of your debts are discharged. The debts that are not discharged and that you may still be responsible to pay include:

domestic support obligations,

most student loans,

certain taxes,

debts for fraud or theft,

debts for fraud or defalcation while acting in a fiduciary capacity,

most criminal fines and restitution obligations,

certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers,

certain debts for acts that caused death or personal injury, and

certain long-term secured debts.

### Warning: File Your Forms on Time

Section 521(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that you promptly file detailed information about your creditors, assets, liabilities, income, expenses and general financial condition. The court may dismiss your bankruptcy case if you do not file this information within the deadlines set by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the local rules of the court.

For more information about the documents and their deadlines, go to: <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy\_forms.html#procedure">http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy\_forms.html#procedure</a>.

#### Bankruptcy crimes have serious consequences

If you knowingly and fraudulently conceal assets or make a false oath or statement under penalty of perjury—either orally or in writing—in connection with a bankruptcy case, you may be fined, imprisoned, or both.

All information you supply in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to examination by the Attorney General acting through the Office of the U.S. Trustee, the Office of the U.S. Attorney, and other offices and employees of the U.S. Department of Justice.

### Make sure the court has your mailing address

The bankruptcy court sends notices to the mailing address you list on *Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy* (Official Form 101). To ensure that you receive information about your case, Bankruptcy Rule 4002 requires that you notify the court of any changes in your address.

A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*. If you file a joint case and each spouse lists the same mailing address on the bankruptcy petition, the bankruptcy court generally will mail you and your spouse one copy of each notice, unless you file a statement with the court asking that each spouse receive separate copies.

### Understand which services you could receive from credit counseling agencies

The law generally requires that you receive a credit counseling briefing from an approved credit counseling agency. 11 U.S.C. § 109(h). If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must receive the briefing. With limited exceptions, you must receive it within the 180 days *before* you file your bankruptcy petition. This briefing is usually conducted by telephone or on the Internet.

In addition, after filing a bankruptcy case, you generally must complete a financial management instructional course before you can receive a discharge. If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must complete the course.

You can obtain the list of agencies approved to provide both the briefing and the instructional course from: http://justice.gov/ust/eo/hapcpa/ccde/cc approved.html.

In Alabama and North Carolina, go to: http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/Bankruptcy/ BankruptcyResources/ApprovedCredit AndDebtCounselors.aspx.

If you do not have access to a computer, the clerk of the bankruptcy court may be able to help you obtain the list.

### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

# RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES AGREEMENT BETWEEN CHAPTER 13 DEBTORS AND THEIR ATTORNEYS

### (Court-Approved Retention Agreement, Revised as of 4/20/2015)

Chapter 13 gives debtors important rights, such as the right to keep property that could otherwise be lost through repossession or foreclosure, but Chapter 13 also puts burdens on debtors, such as the burden of making complete and truthful disclosures of their financial situation. It is important for debtors who file a Chapter 13 bankruptcy case to understand their rights and responsibilities in bankruptcy. In this connection, the advice of an attorney is often crucial. Debtors are entitled to certain services from their attorneys, but debtors also have responsibilities to their attorneys. In order to assure that debtors and their attorneys understand their rights and responsibilities in the Chapter 13 process, the judges of the Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois have approved this agreement, setting out the rights and responsibilities of both debtors in Chapter 13 and their attorneys, including how their attorneys will be paid for their services in the Chapter 13 case. By signing this agreement, debtors and their attorneys accept these responsibilities.

The Bankruptcy Code may require a debtor's attorney to provide the debtor with certain documents and agreements at the start of the representation. The terms of this court-approved agreement take the place of any conflicting provision in an earlier agreement. This agreement cannot be modified in any way by other agreements. Any provision of another agreement between the debtors and the attorney that conflicts with this agreement is void.

### A. BEFORE THE CASE IS FILED

#### THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:

- 1. Discuss with the attorney the debtor's objectives in filing the case.
- 2. Provide the attorney with full, accurate and timely information, financial and otherwise, including properly documented proof of income.

#### THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:

- 1. Personally counsel the debtor regarding the advisability of filing either a Chapter 13 or a Chapter 7 case, discuss both procedures (as well as non-bankruptcy options) with the debtor, and answer the debtor's questions.
- 2. Personally explain to the debtor that the attorney is being engaged to represent the debtor on all matters arising in the case, as required by Local Bankruptcy Rule, and explain how and when the attorney's fees and the trustee's fees are determined and paid.
- 3. Personally review with the debtor and sign the completed petition, plan, statements, and schedules, as well as all amendments thereto, whether filed with the petition or later. (The schedules may be initially prepared with the help of clerical or paralegal staff of the attorney's office, but personal attention of the attorney is required for the review and signing.)
- 4. Timely prepare and file the debtor's petition, plan, statements, and schedules.

- 5. Explain to the debtor how, when, and where to make all necessary payments, including both payments that must be made directly to creditors and payments that must be made to the Chapter 13 trustee, with particular attention to housing and vehicle payments.
- 6. Advise the debtor of the need to maintain appropriate insurance.

### B. AFTER THE CASE IS FILED

#### THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:

- 1. Make the required payments to the trustee and to whatever creditors are being paid directly, or, if required payments cannot be made, to notify the attorney immediately.
- 2. Appear punctually at the meeting of creditors (also called the "341 meeting") with recent proof of income and a picture identification card. (If the identification card does not include the debtor's social security number, the debtor must also bring to the meeting a social security card.) The debtor must be present in time for check-in and when the case is called for the actual examination.
- 3. Notify the attorney of any change in the debtor's address or telephone number.
- 4. Inform the attorney of any wage garnishments or liens or levies on assets that occur or continue after the filing of the case.
- 5. Contact the attorney immediately if the debtor loses employment, has a significant change in income, or experiences any other significant change in financial situation (such as serious illness, marriage, divorce or separation, lottery winnings, or an inheritance).
- 6. Notify the attorney if the debtor is sued or wishes to file a lawsuit (including divorce.)
- 7. Inform the attorney if any tax refunds to which the debtor is entitled are seized or not received when due from the IRS or Illinois Department of Revenue.
- 8. Contact the attorney before buying, refinancing, or selling real property, and before entering into any loan agreement.
- 9. Supply the attorney with copies of all tax returns filed while the case is pending.

### THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:

- 1. Advise the debtor of the requirement to attend the meeting of creditors, and notify the debtor of the date, time, and place of the meeting.
- 2. Inform the debtor that the debtor must be punctual and, in the case of a joint filing, that both spouses must appear at the same meeting.
- 3. Provide knowledgeable legal representation for the debtor at the meeting of creditors (in time for check-in and the actual examination) and, unless excused by the trustee, for the confirmation hearing.
- 4. If the attorney will be employing another attorney to attend the 341 meeting or any court hearing, personally explain to the debtor in advance, the role and identity of the other attorney

and provide the other attorney with the file in sufficient time to review it and properly represent the debtor.

- 5. Timely submit to the Chapter 13 trustee properly documented proof of income for the debtor, including business reports for self-employed debtors.
- 6. Timely respond to objections to plan confirmation and, where necessary, prepare, file, and serve an amended plan.
- 7. Timely prepare, file, and serve any necessary statements, amended statements, and schedules and any change of address, in accordance with information provided by the debtor.
- 8. Monitor all incoming case information (including, but not limited to, Order Confirming Plan, Notice of Intent to Pay Claims, and 6-month status reports) for accuracy and completeness. Contact the trustee promptly regarding any discrepancies.
- 9. Be available to respond to the debtor's questions throughout the term of the plan.
- 10. Prepare, file, and serve timely modifications to the plan after confirmation, when necessary, including modifications to suspend, lower, or increase plan payments.
- 11. Prepare, file, and serve necessary motions to buy or sell property and to incur debt.
- 12. Object to improper or invalid claims.
- 13. Timely respond to the Chapter 13 trustee's motions to dismiss the case, such as for payment default, or unfeasibility, and to motions to increase the percentage payment to unsecured creditors.
- 14. Timely respond to motions for relief from stay.
- 15. Prepare, file, and serve all appropriate motions to avoid liens.
- 16. Provide any other legal services necessary for the administration of the case.

# C. TERMINATION OR CONVERSION OF THE CASE AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER APPROVING FEES AND EXPENSES

- 1. Approved fees and expenses paid under the provisions set out below are generally not refundable in the event that the case is dismissed prior to its completion, unless the dismissal is due to a failure by the attorney to comply with the duties set out in this agreement. If such a dismissal is due to a failure by the attorney, the court may order a refund of fees on motion by the debtor.
- 2. If the case is dismissed after approval of the fees and expenses but before payment of all allowed fees and expenses, the order entered by the Bankruptcy Court allowing the fees and expenses is not a judgment against the debtor for the unpaid fees and expenses based on contract law or otherwise.
- 3. If the case is converted to a case under chapter 7 after approval of the fees and expenses under this agreement but before the payment of all fees and expenses, the attorney will be entitled to an administrative claim in the chapter 7 case for any unpaid fees and expenses, pursuant to section 726(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, plus any conversion fee the attorney pays on behalf of the debtor.

### D. RETAINERS AND PREVIOUS PAYMENTS

1. The attorney may receive a retainer or other payment before filing the case but may not receive fees directly from the debtor after the filing of the case. Unless the following provision is checked and completed, any retainer received by the attorney will be treated as a security retainer, to be placed in the attorney's client trust account until approval of a fee application by the court.

□The attorney seeks to have the retainer received by the attorney treated as an advance payment retainer, which allows the attorney to take the retainer into income immediately. The attorney hereby provides the following further information and representations:

- (a) The special purpose for the advance payment retainer and why it is advantageous to the debtor is as follows:
- (b) The retainer will not be held in a client trust account and will become property of the attorney upon payment and will be deposited into the attorney's general account;
- (c) The retainer is a flat fee for the services to be rendered during the chapter 13 case and will be applied for such services without the need for the attorney to keep detailed hourly time records for the specific services performed for the debtor;
- (d) Any portion of the retainer that is not earned or required for expenses will be refunded to the client; and
- (e) The attorney is unwilling to represent the debtor without receiving an advanced payment retainer because of the nature of the chapter 13 case, the fact that the great majority of services for such case are performed prior to its filing, and the risks associated with the representation of debtors in bankruptcy cases in general.
- 2. In any application for compensation the attorney must disclose to the court any fees or other compensation paid by the debtor to the attorney for any reason within the one year before the case filing.

#### E. CONDUCT AND DISCHARGE

- 1. *Improper conduct by the attorney*. If the debtor disputes the sufficiency or quality of the legal services provided or the amount of the fees charged by the attorney, the debtor may file an objection with the court and request a hearing.
- 2. *Improper conduct by the debtor*. If the attorney believes that the debtor is not complying with the debtor's responsibilities under this agreement or is otherwise engaging in improper conduct, the attorney may apply for a court order allowing the attorney to withdraw from the case.
- 3. Discharge of the attorney. The debtor may discharge the attorney at any time.

### F. ALLOWANCE AND PAYMENT OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AND EXPENSES

- 1. Any attorney retained to represent a debtor in a Chapter 13 case is responsible for representing the debtor on all matters arising in the case unless otherwise ordered by the court. For all of the services outlined above, the attorney will be paid a flat fee of \$4,000.00
- 2. In addition, the debtor will pay the filing fee required in the case of \$310.00
- 3. Before signing this agreement, the attorney has received, \$350.00 toward the flat fee, leaving a balance due of \$3,650.00; and \$0.00 for expenses, leaving a balance due for the filing fee of \$0.00
- 4. In extraordinary circumstances, such as extended evidentiary hearings or appeals, the attorney may apply to the court for additional compensation for these services. Any such application must be accompanied by an itemization of the services rendered, showing the date, the time expended, and the identity of the attorney performing the services. The debtor must be served with a copy of the application and notified of the right to appear in court to object.

Date: January 8, 2016	
Signed:	
/s/ Grena Bowers, Jr.	/s/ ###################################
Grena Bowers, Jr.	#######################################
	Attorney for the Debtor(s)
/s/ Malaha Patrick-Bowers	` ` ` ` ` `
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### **United States Bankruptcy Court** Northern District of Illinois

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- The attorney seeks to have the retainer received by the attorney treated as an advance payment retainer, which allows the attorney to take the retainer into income immediately. The attorney hereby provides the following further information and representations:
- (a) The special purpose for the advance payment retainer and why it is advantageous to the debtor is as follows:
  - Client understands that any funds that client is rendering to The Semrad Law Firm, LLC as part of the advance payment retainer shall immediately become the property of The Semrad Law Firm, LLC in exchange for a commitment by The Semrad Law Firm, LLC to provide the legal services described above. Said funds will be deposited into the main bank account owned by The Semrad Law Firm, LLC and will be used for general expense of the firm. Client further understands that it is ordinarily the client's option to deposit funds with an attorney that shall remain client's property as security for future services. However, The Semrad Law Firm, LLC does not represent clients under such a security retainer because the preparation of a bankruptcy cases requires many disparate

tasks and functions for the attorney amd support staff; some of which require legal expertise while other may be only ministerial in nature. Client further understands that the benefit that client is receiving under the fee arrangement is the commitment of The Semrad Law Firm, LLC to perform any and all work reasonably necessary to represent client's interest absent any extraordinary circumstance.

- (b) The retainer will not be held in a client trust account and will become property of the attorney upon payment and will be deposited into the attorney's general account;
- (c) The retainer is a flat fee for the services to be rendered during the chapter 13 case and will be applied for such services without the need for the attorney to keep detailed hourly time records for the specific services performed for the debtor;
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Date: 01/07/2016

Signed:

Malala Patrick-Bowers

Debtor(s)

Attorney for the Debtor(s)

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In re	Grena Bowers, Jr. Malaha Patrick-Bowers	DI(()	Case No.	
		Debtor(s)	Chapter <u>13</u>	1
	VERIFICA	TION OF CREDITOR MAT	ΓRIX	
		Number of Cr	editors:	32
	The above-named Debtor(s) hereby v (our) knowledge.	verifies that the list of creditors	is true and cor	ect to the best of my
Date:	January 8, 2016	/s/ Grena Bowers, Jr. Grena Bowers, Jr. Signature of Debtor		
Date:	January 8, 2016	/s/ Malaha Patrick-Bowers  Malaha Patrick-Bowers  Signature of Debtor		

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